

SIERRA MADRE NEWS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1943

SIERRA MADRE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

ME 38—NO. 15



HERE ARE SOME OF THE THINGS THAT HAPPENED IN SIERRA MADRE DURING 1943

Here is a week-by-week report of some important events in Sierra Madre during 1943 as shown by the files of the Sierra Madre News:

January 1—
Announcement of completion of a new water well at the city pumping plant was made at the City Hall. The well cost approximately \$9000, and guarantees the city an uninterrupted water supply.

Week Ending January 7—
Two Japanese boys born in Sierra Madre have been sent to an eastern college to be trained as members of the Army intelligence force.

Frank De Beaulieu has graduated as a second lieutenant at the Signal Corps training school at Fort Monmouth, N. J.
A letter received by Mr. and Mrs. Preston M. Schwartz from their daughter, Mrs. Sarah Le Fevre, in London, tells of American soldiers in England observing Thanksgiving Day with the American flag flying from the towers of Westminster Abbey.

Week Ending January 14—
The former Topping estate at Michillinda and Sierra Madre blvds. is being converted into a temporary Army hospital.

The last of three recreation rooms at Camp Santa Anita, equipped by Sierra Madreans, has just been completed by Bethany Church, through the Camp and Hospital Committee of the local Red Cross chapter.

Four generous contributions to the Red Cross Mobile Blood Bank have brought the city the Army Navy "E" pennant, and high praise from the National Red Cross.

A local committee is appointed to check violations of OPA ceiling price regulations.

Week Ending January 21—
A huge strip of land along the city's northern boundary at the Angelus Forest, extending from Mt. Wilson trail to Eaton Canyon has been taken by the Army for training grounds for men at the Santa Anita post.

It was revealed that during 1942 the investment of Sierra Madreans in War Bonds and savings accounts amounted to more than \$500,000.

Week Ending January 28—
A branch office of the Sierra Madre-Monrovia District War Price and Rationing Board has been opened in Sierra Madre for the convenience of local citizens.

Forty-two Sierra Madreans received standard first aid certificates.

Nearly 20 inches of rain fell at Sierra Madre's northern boundary within 36 hours during the peak of a storm that swept the area the latter part of last week.

Postmaster Caudin reports that receipts of the local post office increased more than 15 per cent during 1942.

Week Ending February 4—
First draft call in 1943 summons 11 Sierra Madreans into the armed services.

Army officers highly commend Sierra Madre's Civilian Defense Corps following a raid test drill on Friday.

Report of the local War Bond Committee shows that 1200 Sierra Madreans bought War Bonds during 1942.

Week Ending February 11—
R. C. Lewis elected to direct the 1943 Red Cross War Fund campaign in Sierra Madre.

Sierra Madre PTA protests OPA regulation that permits citizens to possess only five cans or packages of rationed foods at the time of their registration for No. 2 ration books without being penalized by the loss of stamps.

The protest was unheeded.

Week Ending February 18—
Freezing of 200 rationed foods begins tomorrow with rationing under the point system to become effective March 1.

Dr. Lloyd L. Krebs, retired major of the U. S. Army Medical Corps, and member of the Huntington Memorial Hospital staff for many years, dies.

Frank E. Hart, son of the late Professor John Hart, pioneer resident, and one of the first children born in Sierra Madre, dies at his home in San Marino.

Mrs. Annie Rose Snell, resident of Sierra Madre for 26 years, died at her home here.

Week Ending February 25—
Campaign to raise a \$7500 Red Cross fund here opens next week.

Edgar W. Camp, distinguished member of the American bar and one of the nation's leading authorities on constitutional law, resident of Sierra Madre for 25 years, dies following a long illness.

Wistaria Vine Gardens becomes

New Kiwanis Officers Installed

President Bruce B. McGill and other recently elected 1944 officers of the Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club were installed at a gay club meeting that took the form of a New Year's party in the Masonic Temple last night. Among other things it was ladies' night and an appropriate entertainment program was presented after a delightful chicken dinner had been served.

Dr. Norman Abbott of Ontario, lieutenant governor of Kiwanis California-Nevada district No. 10, officiated as installing officer and Dr. John L. Woehler presided as master of ceremonies.

Installed along with Mr. McGill as president were Ernest Gray, Edison Co. representative in Sierra Madre, as vice-president; James C. Heasley as secretary and Arthur Morse as treasurer. Both Heasley and Gray are continuing in positions they formerly occupied. Lloyd B. Welch was taken into membership by the club.

Sierra Madre Man Hurt in Crash

C. A. Vane, 220 S. Mountain Trail ave., is suffering from a broken collar bone received in a recent accident in Hollywood. Starting through an intersection on a "go" signal, his car was struck in the middle by another which failed to heed the stop signal. Mr. Vane's car was badly damaged.

Mother of Police Chief G. G. McMillan is Laid to Rest

Sarah Elvira McMillan, 169 N. Baldwin ave., passed away on December 25. She was 77 years old. Mrs. McMillan was born in Seattle, Wash., but had lived in California 75 years, the last 28 of them in Sierra Madre.

She is survived by two sons, Harold H. and Gordon G. McMillan, both of Sierra Madre; a grandchild, Ronald McMillan, and a sister, Mrs. Estel Fennell. She was a member of the Church of the Ascension. Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, January 28, in the Church of the Ascension, Rev. John S. Neal officiating. Interment was in the San Gabriel Cemetery, with Grant Chapel in charge of arrangements.

New Officers of the Masonic Lodge are Installed

On Tuesday evening, December 28, at the Masonic Temple, Sierra Madre Lodge No. 408 F. & A. M. installed their officers for the new year. It was a beautiful and impressive ceremony, with Worshipful Frank M. Wright, Inspector of the 93rd Masonic District of California, conducting the rites. Raymond D. Andrews, past master, acted as master of ceremonies.

Following the installation, the members of the Eastern Star served refreshments, and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed by the Masons and their friends. Henry Rintelman, the new master, announces the next stated meeting will be on January 4.

ARMY AND NAVY WILL NEED 5,000,000 PINTS OF BLOOD

The American Red Cross has announced that 1944 blood requirements for the Army and Navy will total 5,000,000 pints—a million pints more than were needed this year.

This will mean that on an average of 100,000 pints of blood each week must be donated in order to meet these requirements. And these requirements must be met!

If our boys are spilling their blood out there on the battlefield in order to protect us, we should certainly be willing to give a pint of our blood in order to save them. Blood plasma is one of the big reasons why deaths among our wounded soldiers have been kept so low.

In Italy, in the South Pacific—all around the world—blood plasma is a "must" of medical supplies. The more blood we give the more of our boys will come back from "out there."

So don't put it off or leave it for the other fellow to do—this is your war and your responsibility. Contact the local Red Cross chapter or watch for the Red Cross Mobile Unit. Give, that others may live!

Edison Co. Names New Dist. Manager

A change in the Southern California Edison Company manager for the Sierra Madre-Arcadia-Monrovia district is scheduled for January 1 when W. P. Shafer, present manager, goes to Pasadena as manager of that district.



M. L. PHILLIPS
New Edison Manager

Mr. Shafer has held a number of important posts in the service of the company, and his new appointment continues his career as one of its ablest district executives.

Mr. Phillips has been a member of the Edison organization for more than 18 years and has advanced steadily in its commercial affairs. He has been assistant manager of the Huntington Park district for more than a year. He joined the company in 1925 as a meter reader in Lancaster, and advanced to the position of chief clerk, which he held subsequently in Lancaster, Redlands, San Bernardino and Ventura. In 1934 he was promoted to the position of sales supervisor, one of the highest in the company's domestic department, and advanced to assistant district manager eight years later.

Miss Evans to Lead Devotions for Bethany Society

Miss Florence Evans will make her first public appearance since her return on the Gripsholm from the Philippines where she was held as a prisoner of the Japs, at a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of Bethany Church next Tuesday, January 4. She will lead the devotions at 1:20, following the noon luncheon.

The society will meet in Bethany Church at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday. At 11 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Immanuel Gittel will speak. At 12 o'clock there will be a lunch period and members will provide their own lunches. Hot tea and coffee will be served by the committee.

At 2 p.m. Roobert Suttie, director of the Christian Service Organization at Camp Santa Anita, will be the speaker.

Time Up for 'C' Book Tire Inspection

Holders of "C" gasoline rationing coupons must have their tires inspected by the end of December. "B" book holders have until February 29 to complete their next regular inspection, while "A" book holders must meet the requirement by March 31.

Fire Season Over; Trails Open Again

Only Areas Adjacent to Army Posts Near Forests Remain Closed to Hikers

The war emergency closure of Southern California forest areas has been removed with the official ending of the fire season on December 14. All trails in the Angelus Forest affected by the closure are now open to the public and people may hike where they wish, according to Harry D. Grace, district ranger at the Santa Anita Ranger station.

Any part of the forest is open for hiking now except strategic points around storage dams and Army posts. While the past fire season was bad in many other areas, where thousands of acres were burned over by fire and valuable water-sheds threatened or destroyed, this section was fortunate in escaping with little damage, Mr. Grace says.

Helping to eliminate much of the fire hazard here, Forest Service Patrolman William Driggs and Fire Marshal William Lees inspected some 600 incinerators in Sierra Madre and vicinity and issued 200 burning permits for disposal of rubbish.

The Forest Fire Fighters Service also cooperated most effectively during the season just closed. These volunteers, under the leadership of Art Udell, have eliminated many fire hazards by acting in the capacity of fire fighters, fire crew leaders, and as emergency patrolmen.

Although the fire season has ended, burning permits will still be required in Sierra Madre and other foothill communities and may be obtained here from William Lees at the city hall.

Public Warned Not to Venture For from Home

The Office of Defense Transportation warned Southern Californian motorists to stick pretty close to home over the holiday week-end, the gasoline situation being what it is. It was predicted that the gas supply of a great majority of the stations will be exhausted and that they will be closed, as was the case over the Christmas week-end when hundreds of motorists were unable to get back home because of the fact that gas was not obtainable. It is expected now that hundreds of stations will be obliged to remain closed until their January gas quotas are available next Monday.

Bank Inaugurates New Service in Lieu of Deposit Boxes

Because of the scarcity of safety-deposit boxes, the Sierra Madre Savings Bank is making available a safekeeping service to the public. Non-negotiable securities only can be accepted. Anyone interested is invited to come into the bank and discuss the details.

President R. C. Lewis of the bank says that all the safety-deposit boxes now in the bank are in use, and that due to the metal shortage there may be no more available for some time.

The new safekeeping service is only temporary, and will be discontinued when the war is over, or when new boxes are again available.

Stores Here Will be Closed on New Years Day

The majority of Sierra Madre merchants, including the markets, will be closed on New Year's day, so it would be wise to lay in a supply early to last you over that New Year's week-end.

The Weather

Sierra Madreans have been treated to a bit of "unusual" weather this last week. Christmas day was warm and sunny, but we felt the cool wind from the snows. On Tuesday afternoon there was a slight fall of snow on the hills just back of the town, followed by a warm rain in the night. Temperatures have been:

	Max.	Min.
Dec. 23	58	42
Dec. 24	63	44
Dec. 25	64	45
Dec. 26	60	43
Dec. 27	66	42
Dec. 28	62	40
Dec. 29	53	41

Happy New Year

To the people of this community, and the people of our State and Nation, the New Year, 1944, will undoubtedly be one of the most eventful years of our generation. During the twelve months that stretch ahead, the lives of all of us, no matter how far removed we may seem from the struggle, will be vitally affected by the roar of guns we will never hear and the course of battles we will never see. History is being written today with a bold, heavy hand—and American boys are playing a major role in the writing of it.

On New Year's Eve, here at home, there will be less hilarity, perhaps, than in other years. There will be quiet toasts drunk to men far away. And there will be prayers said, in churches and homes, that peace will come again, during 1944, and that the New Year will bring loved ones home again—and a return to normal, happy living. There will be joy, too, because a turning point has clearly come in the war and because every day brings us a day nearer release from strain and anxiety.

We can say "Happy New Year" this year with greater confidence than we could a year ago—and with far greater assurance than we could on that dark New Year which followed so close on Pearl Harbor. We have tremendous problems ahead of us during this year—problems which we must solve while our fighting men are coming to grips with the problems of the battle-front. We must start on the gigantic job of shifting certain of our industries back into production of civilian goods. We must wrestle with the dangerous problem of inflation. We must go through a bitter national election and not lose our sense of values, or our spirit of fair play. We must put our house in order so that when our men come home they will be proud of the land they have fought for.

These things we must do, but as a New Year is born we will go into that year—with hope and confidence that we can measure up to the job before us, and make this, in the finest sense of the phrase, a Happy New Year!

New Years Eve Dance at Woman's Club Friday Evening

Owing to the gasoline situation which will oblige most Sierra Madreans to remain in the city, the Woman's club felt it would be nice to plan a celebration here in town on New Year's eve. So the directors decided to hold a dance at the clubhouse Friday evening. It will be a typical, old-fashioned New Year's eve dance, with horns, confetti and all the trimmings, including refreshments. The public is cordially invited. Jerry Laurence's dance band will furnish the music.

Disappearance of Mail Pouches Remains Mystery

Disappearance of the two mail pouches containing scores of checks deposited by Sierra Madreans and being forwarded to Los Angeles for collection, continued to be as much of a mystery this week as on the day of their disappearance two weeks ago.

Investigation by postal inspectors traced the missing mail sacks to the Pacific Electric station and their loading, together with other pouches, onto a Pacific Electric train. But apparently they never reached the Los Angeles post office.

Los Angeles County Shows Population Increase of 15 Pct.

The population of Los Angeles County by January 1 will be 3,200,000, according to the California Taxpayers' Association. This is an increase of 414,000 or 15 per cent over the 1940 census figures. The association's estimate is based on ration book registrations, births, school enrollments and utility installations.

Population of the State is estimated at 8,014,000—16 per cent higher than the official 1940 census figure, the association estimated. The population of the State a year ago was estimated at 7,795,000.

War industries in many communities have drained man power from many California counties, the association found, and 21 counties have suffered a population decline since 1940.

Neher Drive to Become Toyon Road

Names of Other Streets May be Made More Meaningful by Changes

Neher drive, short thoroughfare leading into the mountain from West Grand View ave., will soon be known as Toyon road. The change in name was recommended by the city planning commission and struck a responsive chord in the city council which immediately ordered preparation of an ordinance making the change effective. It is believed to be the beginning of a plan to change the names of a number of streets to make them more meaningful and euphonious.

On recommendation of the volunteer fire department the city council Tuesday evening ordered the name of Floyd Needles added to the list of auxiliary city firemen.

Street Superintendent Joe Swanson recommended the employment of Fred Ebel as a member of the street department at a salary of \$150 a month, and the council approved it.

The council was informed that an agreement has been reached with the Pacific Electric Railway Co. for the enlargement of the storm drain under its property at the railway station to eliminate much of the damage that usually accompanies heavy rainfalls here.

Woman Puts Blaze Out Before Fire Department Lands

Mrs. J. J. (Jack) Butler of 269 W. Laurel ave. had just tucked her two small boys into bed for their afternoon nap last Sunday, and was busily engaged in rearranging articles around the Christmas tree. Suddenly she heard a crackling overhead that sounded like fire. She ran outside and looked up to see the roof of the house ablaze! Mrs. Butler kept her head. She calmly went inside, phoned the fire department, and then ran out and turned on the garden hose to hold the fire in check until help came. When the firemen arrived a few moments later, the flames were under control and practically out. They soon completed the job, and Chief Heasley highly commended Mrs. Butler for her calmness and courage in the face of danger. The fire was caused by an accumulation of embers from the fireplace which landed on the shingles.

With Sierra Madre Boys In Service

A Merry Christmas wish via long-distance telephone from Seattle was received by Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Galkin, 110 E. Mira Monte ave., from their son, Lieut. Harold Galkin, stationed with an Army transportation outfit at Seattle. He was feeling fit, thanked them for their Christmas gifts and hoped they liked his.

Cpl. Val Mariotti of the Army Air Corps was in town over Christmas week, renewing old acquaintances. He was home on a 14-day furlough, spending Christmas with his parents in Los Angeles.

Capt. Judd G. Bridgman, M.C., of W. Montecito ave., has received his M.D. degree from Hahnemann Medical College. He was a member of a large class of officers of the Army Medical Department at the Carlisle, Pa., barracks and is now qualified for duty with troops in the field.

The training course at this national medical department school taught the graduates the military knowledge necessary for them to be efficient officers, capable of carrying out medical preventive measures and caring for the sick and wounded under war conditions.

Lieut. Joseph A. Burns, with an Army Air Corps Arctic search and rescue squadron somewhere in Greenland, enjoys the clippings from the Sierra Madre News sent him by his mother, Mrs. O. J. Burns, 151 E. Laurel ave., and asks her to "keep it up." In a letter last week he told of going fishing and catching a cod but, he says, he enjoyed eating the liver much more than the fish.

Sgt. James W. Moray of the 1st A. D. is now in Italy, his mother, Mrs. Bernhard Wall of Bella Vista Terrace, has heard. She received flowers and Christmas cards from him on Christmas day. He was ordered to leave his pet pup behind in North Africa, leaving her to an anti-aircraft artillery unit.

Pfc. Kendall Heasley, Marine Corps, Norman, Okla., celebrated Christmas in bed with the measles, according to his dad, Jim Heasley. It seems Kendall has had a streak of bad luck with sickness of late, having had a minor operation also. He is in Norman for a six months' course of training, and is hoping to be able to make a start on it one of these days.

Pfc. Joseph Kiggins is home on a holiday leave from Wisconsin, and enjoyed Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Mary Kiggins, and family at 51 Esperanza ave. This is the first furlough Pfc. Kiggins has had in a year. He leaves Sunday evening, January 2, for his post. His brother, Seaman First Class Billy Kiggins of the Coast Guard, was also home for Christmas with his mother.

Pvt. Terrance McCloskey, brother of Mrs. Mary Kiggins, Continued on Page Five

*Only Once a year
1/2 Price*



The original
Tussy
Wind and Weather Lotion

REG. 8-OZ. 50¢ PLUS TAX
\$1 SIZE 50¢ PLUS TAX
REG. \$2 FULL-PINT SIZE—\$1 plus tax

• Helps keep skin romantically soft and smooth in spite of chapping winds and harsh weather. Use as a luxurious body rub... a flattering powder base. Buy now—save half!

ROYAL CUT RATE DRUGS

May the Year 1944
Mean "Curtains"
for the enemy.

BUY BONDS

*Frances Scott
Shop*
No. 1 KERSTING CT.

"Distinctive
But Not
Expensive"

Toy Loan Director to Address Jr. Women

The next meeting of the Junior Woman's Club will be held at the

clubhouse on Thursday, December 30. Miss Margaret Fling, Los Angeles director of toy loan libraries, will be the speaker of the evening.

Best Wishes In 1944

For many years in succession we have been wishing our friends and customers a Happy New Year. It is with the greatest of pleasure that we now renew this custom. Many thanks, and every good wish for you.

WISTARIA BEAUTY SHOPPE

Geraldine Welch
55 N. Baldwin Ave.
Phone 4192

New Year Greetings 1944

Just a line to extend to you our sincere thanks for your patronage in 1943, and to wish you and yours a most Happy and Prosperous New Year. Remember, we are always at your service.

Hartman's Pharmacy

Loafing Dollars or Working Dollars

Don't keep your idle dollars in your pocketbook or the old family teapot. They may be stolen or destroyed.

Invested here, they are put to work serving a two-fold purpose. Loaned on homes, they enable families to refinance or purchase. And thus earn generous dividends for the investor.

Buy your War Bonds and
Stamps Here

Atlas
FEDERAL SAVINGS
AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
OF PASADENA
555 LOS ROBLES GREEN—SY. 3-3186

Surgical Dressing Workers are Needed During New Year

The Surgical Dressing Unit of the American Red Cross will hold its first meeting of the new year on Tuesday, January 4, from 7 until 10 p.m., in the Red Cross headquarters. Regular size dressings will be made.

The program for the new year will be the same as it was in 1943, with two evening meetings, Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 7 until 10, and the all-day sessions on Wednesdays and Fridays, from 9:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Workers are badly needed.

The Red Cross asks you to please plan to include this in your war work program for the new year, and bring any friends willing to help.

Library Closed

The Sierra Madre Library will close at 9 o'clock on New Year's eve., and remain closed until 1:30 in the afternoon, Monday, January 3.

Christmas Party of Purple Heart Unit is Held Here

The Los Angeles chapter and Auxiliary No. 2 of the Military Order of the Purple Heart held its annual Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Galkin, 110 E. Mira Monte ave., last week. Commander LeRoy Smith and President Marion Smith were present to welcome 40 members and their friends at the party which included entertainment, exchange of gifts and refreshments.

Sierra Madreans present were Mr. and Mrs. Hopper, Mmes. Brady Whitely, Bertha Irvine, Leila Embree, Augusta Coats and her mother.

Children of Junior Women Have Party

The members of the Junior Woman's Club held a Christmas party for their children on Tuesday evening from 6:30 to 8:30, with Santa Claus, a tree, and special motion pictures of Donald Duck and Little Black Sambo. After the motion pictures, Santa distributed candy and small gifts to the 25 little guests. Then refreshments of Christmas cookies, hot chocolate and gay candy canes were much enjoyed by all.

State Guardsmen Have Xmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Embree, 535 Auburn ave., had a Christmas party for the members of the California State Guard on Wednesday evening, December 22. There were about 24 present, and each one received a surprise present from Mrs. Embree. Hot mince pie and coffee topped off an evening of fun.

Had Old-Fashioned Christmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Udell and Mrs. Mary Kiggins of 51 Esperanza ave. had a real old-fashioned Christmas dinner on Christmas day. Guests were Sgt. and Mrs. George Tabler, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orme, Miss Elsie Orme, Miss Rose Schlinger, Pvt. Terrence McCloskey, Pfc. Joseph Kiggins, Seaman 1/c Billy Kiggins, all home on furloughs, and William Corbet. Pvt. McCloskey is Mrs. Kiggins' brother, who came out on leave from Camp Harrison, Colo., to spend Christmas with his sister and her family.

Engagement of Miss Nancy Perry to Lieut. Mullaevy

On Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Hall Perry of 118 E. Laurel ave. announced the engagement of their daughter Nancy Fairbank to First Lieutenant W. R. (Bill) Mullaevy. Lieutenant Mullaevy is the son of Mrs. B. Mullaevy of Detroit, Mich.

Truck Operators Asked to Surrender Old Certificates

The Office of Defense Transportation requests all truck operators who have not received their 1944 Certificates of War Necessity to date to take their 1943 certificate to the War Price and Rationing Board in Monrovia where they should make application for gasoline allotments for the first quarter of 1944 on the basis of the number of gallons shown as their allotment for the last quarter of 1943.

Certificates of War Necessity for 1944 will be mailed to all truck operators who have not yet received them, shortly after January 1.

This temporary arrangement for the issuance of gasoline for the first quarter has been made to avoid hardship until all the new Certificates of War Necessity have been mailed.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

Brothertons Farm House

2239 E. Colorado Blvd. SYcamore 6-5058
Special De Luxe New Years Day Dinner, \$1.25
CHICKEN—TURKEY—STEAKS
CHILDREN'S DINNER \$1.00
FREE PARKING—NO LIQUOR

HAIL THE ROSE QUEEN



Naomi Riordan, 17-year-old Junior College coed who has been chosen Queen of the 55th annual Tournament of Roses in Pasadena. This year's wartime Queen will not have a floral parade but she will preside over the Rose Bowl game New Year's day and other Southern California events.

Junior Woman's Club Has Own Party and Spreads Christmas Cheer Generally

The Sierra Madre Woman's Club Juniors held a Christmas party at the clubhouse on Thursday, December 23. Each member presented a gift to the clubhouse, an annual custom. A short meeting was held, after which Ada Aratin, Charleen Stansberry, Marjorie Bradley, Anita Moore, Eleanor Edwards, Mary Lou Lovejoy, Cynthia Ellet, Mary Davis, Shirley Kendall, Regina Rivera and Esther Richter, hostesses, gave a Christmas pantomime, which was much enjoyed. Games and refreshments followed.

Following a custom of previous years, the Juniors this Christmas

chose a needy family with a number of small children, and made a joyous Christmas for them. The gifts presented included two wool blankets, warm clothing for the children, and boxes of groceries and toys.

The large Christmas tree at the clubhouse, which all the members had helped decorate, was presented to the Isolation Ward of the Vista Del Arroyo Army Hospital in Pasadena. This was the one ward in the hospital without a tree, so it was much appreciated.

HAPPENINGS OF 1943

Continued from Page One

new home of the Sierra Madre Arts Guild.
Harry D. Grace comes to Sierra Madre area as the new U. S. Forest Service Ranger.

Week Ending March 4—
War Ration Book No. 2, issued to 4085 Sierra Madreans, and the point rationing system gets under way here with little confusion.

Week Ending March 11—
Capt. David Allen, Sierra Madre soldier located on one of the Southwest Pacific islands, is the first contributor to Sierra Madre Red Cross chapter's 1943 War Fund.

Sierra Madre Woman's Club accepts invitation of Bruce McGill, owner of Wistaria Vine Gardens, to carry on the 1943 Wistaria Fete.

Week Ending March 18—
Torreficial rains that left 8.16 inches of rain and brought the season's precipitation to 42.75 inches of rain and brought the age when storm drains clogged and storm waters raced across streets and over private property.

Gen. Edward Clinton Young celebrates his 51st birthday at his home here, surrounded by 40 West Point classmates and friends.

Week Ending March 25—
Clomplacency of local citizens during Sierra Madre's first day, light air raid alarm on Tuesday, is a matter of grave concern to Civilian Defense officers.

Mrs. Ernest Best resigns as president of Sierra Madre Woman's Club, and is succeeded by Mrs. E. E. Halperin.

Week Ending March 29—
R. E. ("Bob") Wright, is commissioned a lieutenant in the Navy, and assigned to a war materials plant at Beloit, Wis.

Long Beach family buys four acres of the former Sierra Madre Dairy property.

Week Ending April 8—
Sierra Madre exceeds its \$7500 Red Cross War Fund quota by more than one-third.

Sierra Madre contributes a fund sufficient to put an Army pursuit plane, "Spirit of Sierra Madre," into the air.

Week Ending April 15—
County engineers propose a debris basin in Bailey Canyon to reduce storm damage hereafter.

Week Ending April 22—
Eighteen-year-old boys in Sierra Madre receive their first draft notices.

Week Ending April 29—
Sierra Madre experiences a 55-minute blackout during an air raid alarm on Easter Sunday night.

Miss Bonita Williams, daughter of Mrs. Edith Boyer Williams of Mariposa ave., is first Sierra Madrean to enlist in the SPARS, woman's reserve of the Coast Guard.

Week Ending May 6—
Second War Loan campaign raises \$141,368.82, nearly \$50,000 over city's quota.

Adele Davidson, member of the grammar school teaching staff, dons uniform of the WAVES.

Week Ending May 13—
Four new teachers elected by local school board.

Eurothy Jane Haddock has completed her WAC training at Fort Des Moines, Ia.

Week Ending May 20—
Sierra Madre Woman's Club re-elects Mrs. Edward Halperin as its president.

Week Ending May 27—
Police Officer Dan J. Rauscher is shot three times while answering a call. His assailant was a demented youth who said he thought the officer was a Nazi spy.

Mrs. C. L. Young is elected president of Sierra Madre PTA.

Week Ending June 3—
Two Sierra Madre brothers, Lee and Keithel Anthony, injured on widely separated battle fronts of the global war, Keith in the sinking of the Astoria in the Southwest Pacific, and Sgt. Lee Anthony in the bombing by the Germans of an American-held air field in Africa.

Week Ending June 10—
Mrs. Clare Moon is Sierra Madre's first woman postman, having just been assigned to the "mountain beat" of the local post office, taking the place of a carrier who has enlisted in the Army.

Largest audience ever to attend a Boy Scout court of honor here sees Life Scout award conferred on John Vanderbroeke, a member of the Explorer's Troop.

Week Ending June 17—
William D. Richards resigns as Chief of Sierra Madre Fire Department after many years of service.

Continued on Page Three

We have the ANSWER to YOUR MEAT PROBLEM Fresh Dressed Rabbits Poultry

FRESH FROZEN FRUITS
FISH — VEGETABLES

Poultry Processed on Our Own
Premises.

Fresh Eggs Daily

Poultry dressed while you wait
—if you prefer.

FOR THE CONVENIENCE
OF OUR PATRONS WE
HAVE ADDED A COMPLETE
MEAT DEPARTMENT.

Store house 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Closed Sundays and Holidays.

BURG CO.
215 E. Huntington Drive
Arcadia

Dorothy Gray Famous Special Dry Skin Mixture

Generous \$2.25 size for

\$1.00

Magic Cream to smooth and soften your skin—For counteracting tiny wrinkles. War workers, housewives, careerists, keep a jar handy to keep your skin lovely. You'll like it.

Sierra Madre Drug Co.

In Hotel Building Phone 3303
SUNDAY HOURS 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.
AND 6 TO 8 P.M.
OPEN NEW YEARS DAY 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.

New Year's Eve Dance

Friday, December 31, 1943

At

Woman's Clubhouse

From 9 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.

Admission 50c

Jerry Lawrence's Orchestra

Sponsored by the Woman's Club

Fall and Winter Merchandise Greatly Reduced

June Linnard Shop

1020 Huntington Drive San Marino

New Year's Best Wishes

We pause to extend our sincere holiday greetings to our customers and friends. It has been a pleasure to serve you in 1943. We hope for a continuance of your friendship in 1944.

SIERRA MADRE HARDWARE CO.

SIERRA MADRE BOYS ON MANY BATTLE FRONTS RECEIVE A MESSAGE FROM HOME

Beginning with a letter and Christmas greeting and concluding with a pledge and a prayer, the Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club sent a Christmas message to local boys in the service on the battlefronts throughout the world. Here is how the greeting began:

Christmas Greetings to All of Our Sierra Madre Boys in the Service of Our Country

Heep on more wood! the wind is chill;
But let it whistle as it will,
We'll keep our Christmas merry still.

—Scott

Dear Son:

Christmas greetings seem out of place in a world torn by strife, but those of us at home who love you are taking this opportunity to wish you Godspeed and success in your great task. We here, even as you, are living a suspended, static sort of existence, numbed by your going away and cheered only by the thought of your returning.

"Blood, sweat, toil and tears" are being expended by Sierra Madre boys on all the fighting fronts of the world and their example and courage is a stimulus to us at home to carry on our part.

This little Christmas bulletin is just a Kiwanis

gesture for all the boys who are away and would enjoy a few words about "Our Town."
My son, you and the rest of these lads represent the aristocracy of today, not because of birth or wealth but because you are doing your job for the future welfare of all men.

Dad

Remember

When you are low hearken back to these memorable words . . .

"It is a struggle for maintaining in the world that form and substance of government whose leading object is to elevate the condition of men—to lift artificial weights from all shoulders; to clear the paths of laudable pursuits for all; to afford all an unfettered start."

Abraham Lincoln.

The concluding prayer and pledge are reproduced from the message as follows:

A Closing Thought and Prayer

Lord give us Victory;
Not alone in the might of our arms,
But in the righteousness of our cause,
The defense of the defenseless,
The succoring of the weak,
The shackling of injustice, Greed and Passion;
Lord give us VICTORY.—Fitzgerald.

Kiwanis Pledge

Soldier, we promise to keep your America American and we at home pledge ourselves to keep on backing the attack!

Season's greetings from the Kiwanis Gang.

FIRE FLAMES

By One of the Boys

Nearing the end of another year, we can again make the good report that we have had very few fires during 1943. The one unfortunate large fire was close to the mountains, in fact did get into the forest. Although entailing a big property loss, this fire was stopped before it burned off much of the protective brush of the hills and therefore prevented future damage from rains. The cooperation of the Forestry Service, the Triple F organization and the general public aided immensely on this occasion. Being so distant from the heart of the city and away from a phone, the fire had gained much headway before the station received the alarm. For the damage done by the fire we are sorry, but still proud that it was not much worse.

The efficiency of the fire department depends a great deal on the automobiles of the members.

It is sincerely hoped that the gasoline shortage shall never reach such a stage that firemen are forced to run to a fire call on foot. Firemen are located at all sections of the city and to see them attempt a long-distance gallop wouldn't be so funny.

At the beginning of the new year, we can only repeat what we have often said before—fire prevention is the best fire-fighting equipment that we have, so let's use it. A small fire is not difficult to extinguish. The first few seconds or minutes are valuable. Residents can do much to avoid big fires. Don't hesitate to call the fire department, but try a little water.

HAPPENINGS OF 1943

Continued from Page Two

service. James C. Heasley is elected as his successor. Proposed closing of the Canyon Park swimming pool during the summer brings angry protests from the city's youths and mothers.

Week Ending June 24—City Council heeds protest

against closing of Canyon Park swimming pool and orders it repaired and opened to the public next week.

Campaign to raise \$50,000 in Sierra Madre for the new cruiser, City of Los Angeles, gets under way.

Week Ending July 1—Sierra Madre City Council approves agreement to end Pasadena water suit.

Marold D. Carew, nationally known author and journalist, dies at his home here of a heart attack.

Week Ending July 8—Two hundred twenty-five Sierra Madrans donate blood to Red Cross Mobile Blood Bank.

Maj. P. B. Linville elected commander of the local American Legion Post to succeed Capt. Harry E. Gabriel, who has moved away.

Week Ending July 15—Shortage of help at local post office causes reduction in local mail deliveries, and Sierra Madrans will get but one a day.

Councilman Vinton Hoegee has sold his 160-acre Antelope Valley ranch near Lancaster, and has returned to his home here.

City Council puts Sierra Madre on record as opposed to return of Japanese during the war.

Week Ending July 22—Gerald Smith resigns as superintendent of city schools and school board is hunting a new principal, Henry Korstmeier being finally appointed.

Week Ending July 29—Gen. Edward Clinton Young donates elaborate system of infrared lighting equipment to the Army at Camp Santa Anita for its lighting system.

Committee in charge rules against exhibition of birds and animals at forthcoming Sierra

madre Victory Garden Fair.

Week Ending August 5—

Score of Sierra Madre properties, including 16-acre Arbutnot citrus ranch, involved in recent real estate transfers.

Seventeen-year-old Stanley Geller alphas away to join his father and brother in the Navy.

Roess Market sold to Jess Aratun.

Week Ending August 12—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Evans celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

Joseph A. Haus, former Edison Company executive, bedridden at his home in Alhambra for many months, came to a lonely citrus ranch here to end his life.

Week Ending August 19—Four cents were lopped off the city tax rate, and wage increases voted on 20 of the municipal employees by the city council.

Midnight fire discovered at the home of Paul S. Goya, interned Japanese, at head of Wilcox road, started to spread to the nearby Angelus Forest, and gave Sierra Madrans a genuine scare. However, the fire was brought under control without serious harm to the water shed. The Goya home was destroyed.

Week Ending August 26—A letter from Allan Robertson, Navy range finder operator, to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Robertson, tells of shooting down a Nazi plane off the coast of Norway.

Week Ending September 2—Sgt. Russell Lovejoy, veteran of four major and many minor engagements with the Japs in the South Pacific and the near East, arrived home Friday after two years of service in the thick of the fighting in the Pacific.

Week Ending September 9—Mayor Tom Schwartz goes off to war; city council elects Councilman John Froehlich to that position, and Thomas A. Reynolds to succeed him as a member of the council.

A letter from the Navy Department received by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lyon announced the death of their son, Benjamin Malcom Lyon Jr., Navy radioman first class, in a Jap prison camp at Taiwan, Formosa. He was last heard from at a Jap prison camp near Tokyo.

Week Ending September 16—U. S. Forest Rangers claim that Sierra Madre is maintaining a dangerous fire hazard on city-owned property at Roberts Camp.

Week Ending September 23—Harris Rivers, Sierra Madre boy, member of the crew of the destroyer Rowan, reported missing in action following sinking of that vessel September 17.

Week Ending September 30—C. T. Colt of Sierra Madre, notified from Washington of his appointment to the Regional Board of Governors of the Smaller War Plant Corporation, an organization charged with the responsibility of keeping small industry alive.

Week Ending October 7—Death calls Perley Poore Sheehan, noted author and journalist, at his home here.

Sierra Madrans contribute over \$170,000 in the Third War Loan.

Week Ending October 14—Sierra Madrans pay tribute to the memory of Perley P. Sheehan at memorial service in Church of the Ascension.

Door-to-door campaign announced to meet War Chest quota in Sierra Madre.

Week Ending October 27—

"Here and There," a column by Dean A. G. H. Bode, makes its initial appearance in this week's issue of the Sierra Madre News.

W. F. Maloney elected member of the City Planning Commission.

Week Ending October 28—Lieut. Aubrey Young reported missing in action following an air raid on Schweinfurt, Germany, in which 50 American flying fortress bombers were shot down. His death was later announced by the War Department.

No. 4 Ration Books issued to 5023 local citizens, and it is estimated that over 500 secured their books in other localities where they are employed.

Week Ending November 7—Local school board applies for Federal aid to meet shrinkage in school revenues.

Sierra Madre has the most orderly observance of Halloween in many years.

Week Ending November 11—

Drastic new curfew law adopted by city council.

Sierra Madre gives its quota to Red Cross Blood Bank for the seventh consecutive time.

Week Ending November 18—Hoods will remain on street lights here despite lifting of dim-out regulations on the West Coast by the Army.

Jack Benton Hosford, former assistant city engineer, dies after a long illness.

Week Ending November 25—Sierra Madre over-subscribes its War Chest quota.

William P. Caley, resident here for 51 years and the city's first town marshal, dies.

Jr. Woman's Club to establish

to loan library here.

Week Ending December 2—Local Defense Council warned by California War Council that air raids may still be expected on this coast.

Miss Opal Lois John enlists in the Woman's Reserve of the Marine Corps, and is Sierra Madre's first woman Marine.

Week Ending December 9—Grammar school children round up 12 tons of waste paper in waste paper drive.

Building shows unexpected spurt here in November.

Week Ending December 16—Sierra Madre woman past 75 is voted Los Angeles County's foremost war worker.

City council votes to satisfy old Mattoon Act liens imposed for Canyon Park street improvements.

Business and Professional Directory

Plumbing

Plumbing and SHEET METAL

SIERRA MADRE HARDWARE CO.
31. W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Telephone CUster 5-4666
Night: Phone 299-4

Dentists

Dr. J. L. Woehler
Dentistry - X-Ray
31 South Baldwin Avenue
(next to Post Office)
Telephone CUster 5-3342

DR. J. STADDEN MILLER
DENTISTRY - X-RAY
28 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Telephone CUster 5-3391
Sierra Madre, Calif.

Telephone Rent Paid?

DISCOUNT IF PAID BY 20th
Office Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Call the Sierra Madre News for your printing needs.

The Axis stops at nothing—
Don't stop at 10%.
Buy More War Bonds
For Freedom's Sake

Osteopaths

DR. MARY GROTH
OSTEOPATH
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON
Physio-Therapy - - - - - Colonic Irrigation
144 E. Highland Ave.
For Appointment Phone 4271

Dr. C. L. T. Herbert
Osteopath
53 No. Baldwin
TELEPHONE 4321
Residence Phone 4028

Physicians and Surgeons

GEO. W. GROTH, M.D.
94 N. BALDWIN
Telephone CUster 5-3388
Residence CUster 5-3364

Surgical Supplies

Pasadena Orthopedic Surgical Supply Co.
Artificial Limbs, Leg and Body Braces, Trusses, Arch-Supports, Special Made Shoes
18 So. Fair Oaks, Pasadena
Peter P. Plesko

WHY WORRY?
I CARRY ANTI-WORRY INSURANCE—
A Regular Ad
In This Newspaper

Funeral Directors

GRANT CHAPEL
HARRY A. LANGE
201 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Telephone CUster 5-5006

Optometrists

Established 1907
William G. Barks, Opt. D.
Optometric Eye Sight Specialist
508 S. Myrtle Ave., Phone 173
Monrovia, California

F. Charles Johnson
B.S., Opt. D.
Optometrist - Orthoptist
MODERN EYE CARE
118 S. Myrtle
Monrovia, Calif.
Phone Mon. 1447

BOB BABBITT Plumbing Cesspools

304 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Telephone CUster 5-4262

Dr. Adele and H. P. Howland

Foot Correctionists
Graduates of Boston Laboratories
FOOT TREATMENTS
44 Windsor Lane

NO COMMONLY USED AD MEDIUM EXCEPT a HOME NEWSPAPER IS RATED AS A COMMUNITY ASSET

New Hope and Sincerest Wishes 1944

PROGRESS IS THE KEYNOTE OF THE FUTURE. AND ON ONE POINT AT LEAST WE ARE FIRMLY RESOLVED. WE ARE GOING TO SERVE OUR CUSTOMERS STILL BETTER IN 1944. OUR EARNEST WISH IS THAT THE COMING YEAR MAY HAVE MANY UNEXPECTED BLESSINGS IN STORE FOR YOU AND YOURS.

Carlin G. Smith

Real Estate

127 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

PIERRE'S

the House Of Crepes Suzette



Special New Years Eve and New Years Day Dinner

\$2.00

Make Your Reservations Early

FOR RESERVATIONS CALL SY 3-0712
2295 Huntington Drive San Marino

Hear Pierre Every Wednesday, 10 a.m., over KWKW.
1430 On Your Dial
The Woman's World on the Romance of Food and Recipes

Holiday Greetings

The success we enjoyed in 1943 is not merely the result of chance. It is the accumulating reward of long years of effort on our part to give the most in quality and service for your money. That policy holds good in 1944, a year which, we hope, will shower many blessings upon you.

Lizzie's Trail Inn

R. R. Orme

New Year's Cheer

Above the clangor of the midnight bells one might hear the ringing of another Bell, whose chimes mean "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

In your pursuit of happiness during 1944 we wish for you the fullest measure of attainment.

UNION SERVICE STATION

Andy Liscomb

Paint-Wallpaper-Glass

If you do the work yourself, we will trim the wallpaper for you

Let us help you with your color scheme
Window Shades Made to Order

Rollo D. Grover

J. M. (Jim) Jennings

Monrovia National Paint Store
610 S. Myrtle Phone 103

Fine Social and Commercial Printing

New Type Faces Neat Workmanship
Prompt and Courteous Service
Reasonably Priced

Statements Receipts Letterheads

Envelopes Cards

Posters Circulars Tickets

Business Forms

All Types of Announcements

SIERRA MADRE NEWS

Phone CUster 5-3335

9 Kersting Court

Sierra Madre News Sierra Madre, Calif. Established October 2, 1906

Published Every Thursday
L. R. GOSHORN
Editor and Publisher
CUstr 5-3335 Kersting Court

Accepted as a newspaper of general circulation for the publication of legal notices as defined by section 4460 of the Political Code of California



NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION
Active Member

Legal Advertising Representative:
Los Angeles Newspaper Service
Bureau, Los Angeles, Calif.

National Advertising Representative:
California Newspaper Publishers Association, Los Angeles and San Francisco

Entered as Second Class Matter at the post office at Sierra Madre, California, under the Act of March 3, 1879. Official paper of the City of Sierra Madre

It is a lesson which all history teaches wise men to put trust in ideas, and not in circumstances
—Emerson.

IT'S DANGEROUS

Although Congress put a heavy foot down on OPA's grade-labeling idea last summer, the bureau crats seem determined to keep it alive.

Grade labeling is that scheme that would require canned food processors and certain other manufacturers to stamp an arbitrary government grade on their products. The basis for this grading would be determined by the Washington "experts" according to what, in their opinion, was good, bad and indifferent. The opinion of the housewife, who is the one to be satisfied, wouldn't enter into it.

Grade labeling hints that food processors are trying to put something over on Mrs. America and therefore the bureaucrats and the housewife are at odds. However, she has proved herself quite capable of demanding and getting the kind of food she wants.

Every processor and manufacturer knows that to put out an inferior product would soon force him to close his doors. He knows that there are many competitors who will take his trade away if he does not maintain a high standard. In other words, under the system of free competition of trade names, the consumer controls the situation through his own purse in either buying or refusing to buy any product.

But grade labeling, though undesirable in itself, appears to be merely a means to an end. If it were once accomplished, it would be a long step toward the eventual elimination of all trade and brand names which have gained the public confidence over many years. Should this come to pass, free competition and the competitive incentive would cease to exist.

Without healthy competition, America would quickly fall into the stagnating rut of bureaucratic economy. And that is one thing we do not want.

HOMES OF TOMORROW

The world changes! That, perhaps, is what makes it so interesting. And there are revolutionary changes in prospect throughout America when the war is ended.

Out of Chicago, for instance, comes a dispatch, quoting Frank Lloyd Wright, who is described as a disciple of functionalism in architecture, as declaring:

"The young people of America are entitled to a home for \$2500 to \$3000 which will be the same quality as one selling for \$10,000. There should be no Grade A, B and C in architecture. There should be one quality for everyone. The only difference should be in extent. You should get more house for \$10,000. But there is no reason why its character should go down to \$2500."

Mr. Wright then goes on to say that, in the future, houses and furniture should be designed to fit each other—that a house shouldn't be built first, and then furnished with whatever the householder can pick up in a furniture store. Furniture, he says, will be built to suit the house—and the two will blend—whether the house be a modest dwelling, or a most elaborate mansion. But houses, he says, will be mass-manufactured, nonetheless, to get costs down to rock bottom, with the owners merely determining "design and individuality."

This, we admit, is a bit over our head at the moment. We don't pretend to understand where mass production will end—and individuality will begin. But we have great faith in the ability of the American system of private enterprise to fit the two together, in proper relationship. And we know full well that the houses built for tomorrow will be better than the houses built for today. For that is the story of America!

★ BUY U. S. WAR BONDS ★

REMEMBER!

What you, as an individual, do in the next year may seem to have little bearing on the world in general. But if you set out with sincerity to improve your life in some way, you will be contributing your bit toward making this world a better place in which to live and making 1944 a happier year for all.

Here and There



by DEAN A. G. H. BODE

TO Sierra Madre the other day came a visitor from Papua, which is part of New Guinea, with messages from my old friend and classmate, Bishop Henry Newton. The war and the presence of our boys and the kindness of the natives to them have made us deeply conscious of that island. My visitor, Mr. Bodger, carried a letter from General MacArthur thanking him and the natives of his mission for their invaluable help to the forces. The natives acted as lookouts in the hills, watching the movements of the Japanese and sending in information which was relayed to the forces by Mr. Bodger. Others of his natives were among those who transported all supplies and munitions on their shoulders to the troops, over mountains and through jungles, and made it possible for our men to protect Port Moresby and save Australia from invasion. This was the help to which the general referred. The missionaries, like my friends of 50 years ago—MacLaren, King, Newton, and many other men and women who succeeded them, have changed a people living as raiders and head hunters into the kindly, helpful Christian people we now know them to be. The mission schools have given them a thorough education; their perfect English astonished our soldiers, pidgin English not being allowed in the missions. They are encouraged to keep their good customs and their native dress, to improve their agriculture, to learn team work in sports, accepting defeats laughingly and amiably. They are clever, can mend a clock or electricity a dwelling. They built a large cathedral with the help of one young white man. The missionaries and the Australian civil administration which came later built upon the missionaries' foundations, believe in "Papua for the Papuans." So does the Atlantic charter. Laws of the administration, like the native land ordinance and the labor ordinance, are intended to prevent the natives being made plantation coolies, serfs, or factory hands to make profits for commercial interests. Sir Hubert Murray, for 33 years a most able administrator, said that if the Papuans were to be anything but hewers of wood and drawers of water for white settlers they would not have much cause to be grateful to our democracy. The aim is to preserve among them a high-grade native civilization of peasant proprietors, to encourage them to continue as independent and educated agriculturalists working their own land. We might add in Bible words, "With none to make them afraid."

HERE is a most interesting letter from an old native, of which Mr. Bodger gave me a copy:

"To my friends in Australia, I, Martin Modudula address this letter. I am going to tell you of things that happened here in my country 50 years ago, when I was a boy living with my father and mother in the village of Wedau in Eastern Papua.

"Early on a morning in the dry season, 50 years ago, I heard the sound of the conch shell coming from the direction of Iabara, Kaieta, and Poai, across the river. I asked my father why it was sounding, and he said that as the day before softened into evening a boat with sails had anchored near Iabara and that there were bariawa, fairies, strange folk on board, and that there were two whose skins were white. My father took his spear and tied on his kada—shell ornament for fighting and dancing—and set off with the other elders of the village to go to Kaieta. He said I must stay in the village with the women and children as there might be fighting.

"My father told me all that happened at Iabara later when he came back. Men of Iabara and Poai saw the strangers in the evening and watched through the night to see what they would do. In the morning time when the light had grown in the sun's eye, one of the strangers called to the people to bring a canoe to the boat. Later I knew this to be the "Tasmania," a whale boat. Two men took a canoe across the sea to the boat. The man who called stepped onto it. The canoe turned over. The white man could not swim, but the Papuans could swim, and they swam to the beach. The white man seized a line and was pulled back into the boat. By now there were many gathered at Iabara, and they talked, fighting talk: 'Durada, Durada, bo Dadia, Dadia,' 'Friends or Enemies?' They talked about everything and

then decided 'Durada' and when the white men rowed their boat nearer and landed, my father and his friends put their spears down on the ground and greeted them. One of the men took a small book from his pocket and read something. I think the book was a Bible.

"The man was Amau Alaberta, and Amau King was with him. (i. e. Rev. Albert MacLaren and Rev. Copeland King). Amau Alaberta asked who was the chief man, and Gaireko was pointed out to him. He gave Gaireko some tobacco. Then he sought a good place if he might find it and live there. They climbed the Dogura ridge and there they stood, and he and his friend said they would dwell there. It is a good place where one sees the hills and the sea. The land was Gaireko's and he said he would give it to Amau Alaberta, and Alaberta would give him something too.

"I stood in the scrub and saw them go to Dogura, and when they came down we all ran to them and looked at them and held their hands. They went away but came back later in a big ship, the 'Grace Lynn.' There was a big horse on board. When it was landed we all ran away; we thought it was a big pig. When the horse ran away we boys chased it back and gave it some grass. Amau Alaberta bought the land from Gaireko. Gaireko had a lot of tomahawks and knives. There were some white men to build a shelter. At the end of the moon Gaireko made a feast with 15 pigs and many people came. I think a thousand. A fighting ship came, and the feast was being held and I went on board at night. They were English sailors. I saw their ship and the big light they shone into the village and frightened the people. The light shone on the mountains and trees. They made lights shoot into the sky; they were like stars.

"I helped my father and the other men to carry posts up the hill (building the mission), and plaited coconut leaf for walls, and pulled grass with the women for the roof. We were sad when Amau Alaberta went away and did not come back. He died on board the 'Merrie England.' I saw his grave in Cooktown (Australia) when I was mate on the mission schooner 'Albert MacLaren.' Amau King taught me about God. He taught me to read the Gospel.

"My wife Ellen was baptized by Amau King in 1898, and I was baptized by Mr. Newton in 1901. I have two boys and two girls. I was mate on the schooner for two years. I preached the Gospel at Mulaua, Galaria, and Magavara. I helped Samuel Aigeri, the first Christian here, with his preaching. I was chosen to be village policeman by Mr. Owen Turner, the Magistrate, and Bishop of Newton made me a church councillor, and I am still one.

"These are some of the things I thought about when I waited in front of the Cathedral to give the Archbishop of Brisbane the paper asking him to consecrate the building. Fifty years is a long time. I have seen many changes in 50 years. Where my father fought against the Quama people we play football and cricket. (Note: The boys beat the Australian soldiers at football.) Now we and the hill people with whom we used to fight, and the people from Colingwood Bay and the north, all worship together in the great Cathedral. You must learn about this land and the church here. You must come and see us some day. I greet you all. You will pray for us, and we will pray for you.—MARTIN MODUDULA.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS



THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans, whose birthdays are indicated . . .

Marjorie Stinman Peterson Jan. 1
Mrs. Nettie J. Foster Jan. 1
Lucille Avenelle West Jan. 1
Mrs. Agnes Woehler Jan. 1
Hubert Tuttle Jan. 2
Mrs. Aimee Jenkins Jan. 2
William B. McGrath Jan. 3
Annie Grippi Evans Jan. 3
Edward F. DeLong Jan. 3
Jimmy Cole Jan. 5
Richard Kern Jan. 6
Owen Giggins Jan. 6
Mrs. H. S. Dowling Jan. 7
Henry W. Colt Jan. 7
Harold McMillan Jan. 7

Church Announcements

Bethany Church

(The Round Stone Church)
Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Minister

Sunday—
9:30 A. M. Bible School. Classes for all ages.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.
6:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 P. M. Evening Meeting
Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30 P. M.

Christian Science

Hermosa and Highland Aves.
First Church of Christ, Scientist

Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass.

"Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God." This declaration from Revelation will be the Golden Text in the Sunday Lesson-Sermon on "God" in all branches of The Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Service, 11 a.m.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Testimonies of Christian Science will be given.



It has often been said, and rightfully so, that the backbone of our economic system is small business. Our huge manufacturing plants, with their mile-long production lines, could not turn out the thousands of countless goods if it were not for the hundreds of thousands of small shops and business establishments scattered throughout the country who merchandise these goods to the people of large and small communities.

There has been a lot of talk about the "all-gadget" dream world in which we are to live in sometime "tomorrow." This has led most of us to wonder just what will be the pattern of our living after the war. The National Association of Manufacturers, in a pamphlet entitled "Industry Has a Program for a Better America," points out that a continuous full production must be maintained if we are to achieve full employment, prosperity and a steady and assured flow of income.

"Intermittent periods of prosperity will not be enough," says the N.A.M. "We have all of the physical requisites for stable and enduring prosperity, and we shall not be satisfied with less." Emphasizing that our Better America must be a more productive America, the report states: "It must keep our men, materials and equipment regularly and continuously employed for the promotion of our economic welfare."

Prohibition forces are said to be cashing in on current public irritation with the liquor industry, and many a man who couldn't buy a Christmas bottle is reported to have retaliated by signing up on the local option dry-law petitions now being circulated. The dry-law crusaders hope to get enough signatures to force the issue on the ballot at the '44 general election.

A survey by the U. S. Department of Agriculture reveals that for every dollar the farmer received in 1939, he is now getting \$1.69 for dairy products, \$1.76 for meat animals, \$1.87 for grains, \$1.89 for chickens and eggs, \$2.20 for cotton and cotton-

Congregational

The Church of the Singing Tower
Rev. Frederic Grootsema, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.

Nursery provided for small children.
5:00 p.m.—Pilgrim Fellowship.
6:30 p.m.—Chimes Concert.

Church of The Nazarene

191 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Rev. Mrs. Thelma Steelman, Minister

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Young Peoples Service, 6:30.

Prayer meeting, 7:30, Wednesday.

St. Rita's Shrine

Rev. Leo Schietel, C. P. Pastor

Masses daily, 6:30 and 8 a.m. except Saturday when Mass is said at 6:30 only.
Sunday, 6:30, 8 and 11 a.m.
Evening devotions Tuesday at 7:30.

in the Sicilian campaign consumed 18,000 gallons of gasoline every hour it was on the move, according to War Department estimates.

THINGS TO COME—Anti-friction bearings, like those now used in the Gyro-Pilot, for baby carriages, sewing machines and washing machines. . . . Siphons for irrigation projects made of seamless Tenite tubing. . . . Textile material made from feathers. . . . Synthetic shellac that surpasses natural product in adhesion to metal and wood and in resistance to water.

What They Say ---

NAT PEEPER, FBI agent, S. F. "Too many people use their activity in the war effort as an excuse for neglecting their children. We can do our part in the war and still keep our homes clean."

PVT. ETHEL HOFSTRA, Gold Star Mother and WAC recruit, L. A.—"I have felt an inner peace since joining up. My 18-year-old son was a bugler on the Lexington. I feel I am carrying on for him."

GOVERNOR WARREN—"When we are dealing with admittedly disloyal people like the Tule Lake Japanese, it requires precise discipline, and that's all we of the West Coast are asking."

HAPPY
NEW YEAR
TO ALL OUR
FRIENDS
AND
PATRONS

Mr. and Mrs.
Morris Resnick

Resnick's Market

78 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

CUster 5-5411

Fur Jackets

Real values. All-season Fur Jackets to wear smartly over suits, dresses, everywhere you go. Sturdy, warm, and tremendously flattering. . . . they're styled to give you years of wear.

RETYLING and
REPAIDING

FURS

Real Estate --- Insurance

John C. Loomis

38 W. SIERRA MADRE BLVD.

NOTARY

CUster 5-3312



GAS is essential
in your home

That's why Uncle Sam says: "Use what gas you need, but really need what you use. Avoid waste every day."



But Gas is also a "must" in making SHELLS to help win the war!

11 out of every 24 operations in shell case manufacture depend entirely on gas!

Without gas heat treating and annealing, shell cases wouldn't have the stamina to help destroy our enemies. Gas is vital because it produces exact temperatures. . . . because it maintains needed temperatures without fluctuation. . . . because, above all, it is clean, fast and economical. Gas is also a "must" in thousands of other intricate processes in Southern California war industries. That's why the Government asks your cooperation. Use gas wisely in your home.

SOUTHERN COUNTIES GAS COMPANY

GAS IS VITAL WAR FUEL
Use it wisely!

This advertisement is published in cooperation with the Government-Industry Campaign to Conserve Critical Resources for War through careful use of coal, oil, gas, water, electricity, communications, and transportation.

Sierra Madre Savings Bank

KERSTING COURT

CUster 5-4466

REPAIRS MASSIVE

WORK WANTED

DUMAS ELECTRICAL
APPLIANCE SERVICE
and
FIX-IT SHOP
General Repair of all
Household Appliances.
12 N. Baldwin Ave. Phone 4116.
If we can't fix-it throw it away.
A.

WE CAN REPAIR your Washer,
Elect. Irons, Toasters, Vac.
Cleaners, Sewing Machines,
Typewriters, Alarm Clocks.
DUMAS ELECTRICAL APPLI-
ANCE AND FIX-IT SHOP.
Phone 4116. 12 N. Baldwin
Ave. Hours 9 a.m. to 6. Closed
Wed. noon. Sat. 1 p.m. A.

WANTED TO SHARPEN hedge
shears, scissors, lawn mowers,
etc. Ralph Koon, CU 5-4171. 41
W. Montecito. —20*

CARETAKER, yard work, house-
work, handy with tools, paint-
ing, etc., wanted by experienced
reliable, Christian, single man,
35. Former employee on Anita
Baldwin estate. References.
Full or part time. Want living
quarters and garage. Box 41.
Sierra Madre News Office.
*A-15

EXPERIENCED dressmaker, also
alterations. Mrs. M. Simon, 25
Olive. Custer 5-4076. A*15

WANT TO RENT

TWO or three-bedroom unfur-
nished house within next two
months. Permanent. Will fur-
nish references. SY. 4-3981.
*15

LOST AND FOUND

Small bag on Monte-
cito, containing cash. Call
News office and identify.
*15

LOST—Rust and gray homing
pigeon. Contact owner at 475
Sturtevant dr. * I-15

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED
Girl or woman for full or part-
time office position in Sierra
Madre with light bookkeeping.
Give experience and time avail-
able. Write Box O, News Of-
fice.

FOR SALE

MISCELLANEOUS

Piano, A. B. Chase
Walnut, \$159. Pads
radio, \$29. Four din-
ing chairs, serving buffet
cognac, \$13. Large
woman, brown mohair,
oak rocker, rose
wood, \$7. Wicker rocker,
dining-room table, dark
\$12. Large electric per-
fume and tray silver plated,
pinkist Electric Juicer, \$8.
5-4055. E-15

LAYIN' HENS, four pul-
lets, Esperanza, 314 Myr-
te, 491 West Monte-
cito. E-15

RYERS—Heavy breed, mash-
fed, battery raised. Fine qual-
ity. E-15

You Can Apply LOCALLY

For Work at the LOCKHEED AND VEGA

Plants in
MAYWOOD
LOS ANGELES
and BURBANK

Good transportation
facilities available.

Earn While You Learn

Unskilled persons will re-
ceive regular full pay while
attending short training classes
in Pasadena.

Apply

MONROVIA — Lockheed-Vega
Employment Office, 314 Myr-
te, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Mon-
day through Friday.

PHILADELPHIA — U. S. Employ-
ment Service, 214 W. Philadel-
phia, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.,
Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fri-
days.

ALHAMBRA — U. S. Employ-
ment Service, 27 E. Valley
Blvd., 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. ev-
ery day except Sunday.

PASADENA — Lockheed-Vega
Employment Office, 713 E.
Green St., 8 a.m.-5:45 p.m. ev-
ery day except Sunday.

**Lockheed
and Vega**

ity. 88 Auburn ave. Phone
4519. (:) E-15

FOR SALE—Fresh, large eggs.
80 W. Grand View ave. Phone
Custer 5-4067. * E-15

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL pay cash for your piano.
Sycamore 6-8189. I-3, 4, 5, 6.

PIANOS for rent. C. J. Gould,
967 E. Colorado St., Pasadena.
Sycamore 6-8189. I-3, 4, 5, 6

WANTED—To buy an electric
heating pad. Phone 6647.
(:) I-15

'Round The Town

* Mrs. Fred Griebenow and her
daughter, Margaret Griebenow
Bode, attended the recent opening
of the water-color exhibit at Ex-
position Park in Los Angeles.
Mrs. Bode is a member of the
California State Water Color So-
ciety.

* Mr. and Mrs. Flint E. Stun-
den and daughters Barbara and
Beverly, 595 Woodland dr., spent
Christmas day at the home of
Mr. Stunden's uncle, James Ed-
wards and family, at Long
Beach.

* Mrs. John Kennedy of Canyon
Crest dr. spent Christmas day
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Steve Persel, at Altadena. Her
sister, Mrs. W. F. Murphy, Mr.
Murphy and son Stephen, of Long
Beach, were also guests.

* Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Butler
have as a house guest Mrs. Stan-
ley Ellis, a cousin from the East.
Mrs. Ellis is here to visit her
husband, Cpl. Stanley Ellis of the
Army Medical Corps, and will
stay through New Years.

With Sierra Madre Boys in Service

Continued from page one

51 Esperanza ave., and uncle of
the two Kiggins boys, Billy and
Joseph, came out from Camp
Harrison, Colo., to spend Christ-
mas with them. Pvt. McCloskey
is a veteran of the last war, so
Army life is no novelty to him.
He will return to camp on Jan-
uary 2.

Seabee Dennis F. Dempsey,
who is stationed at Gulfport,
Miss., has a 10-day leave begin-
ning December 27, and will visit
his wife and people in Philadel-
phia. Mrs. Dempsey has been in
Philadelphia for some time.

Sgt. Joe Hinojos of the staff
of Panoramia, Fort Ord Camp
newspaper, is enjoying a 10-day
Christmas furlough at home with
his mother, Mrs. H. A. Hinojos.
He dropped into the News office
to tell us that his work was very
interesting, and how much he en-
joyed getting the hometown pa-
per with news of the other boys
in the various armed services.

It's plenty rainy in the South
Pacific at this season, accord-
ing to a letter received by Mr.
and Mrs. Percy Adams from their
son, Pfc. Frank Adams. Frank
says he is "O. K.", and reports
that all his Christmas packages
got through in good shape and in
good time.

Mrs. Percy Kortkamp of 32
Park ave. received a pleasant
surprise Christmas day. A long-
distance call came from her son,
Pfc. Robert Burris, telling her
he had been honorably discharged
from the Army to go back to
work in an airplane plant, and
would be home Tuesday.

Sierra Madre's Robert E.
("Bob") Wright represented
the Navy at the presentation of
the Army-Navy "E" Pennant to
the Western Newell Mfg. Co. at
Freeport, Ill., on Dec. 21. Seven
Army men ranking from 2nd
lieutenants to a major represent-
ed the Army. Wright was the
Navy's only spokesman and pre-
sented the "E" pins to plant of-
ficers and personnel.

"The Sierra Madre News is
about the most welcome item
that comes to me and I want to
thank you for the regularity with
which it arrives," writes Pvt.
William C. Rhodes from Hawaii.
"Reading from the top to the bot-
tom of every page, every little
item is most appreciated, but of
course the 'Boys in the Service'
column interests me most," he
writes. "It gives a fellow a chance
to make contact with a number of
his buddies. I've only seen one
fellow from our town so far, but I
carry on quite a few letters. I'm
at present in the Hawaiian
Islands. About all I can tell you
is that it probably used to be
very nice here, but a war will
change anything. Give my re-
gards to the staff."

Pian's
MILLINERY
AND
DRESS SHOP

Dresses
Suits
Coats
Hats

Smart Styles
Moderately Priced

189 E. Colorado
Pasadena

Best Wishes for a Happy, Prosperous and Victorious New Year



ANTHONY AUTO LAUNDRY
Polishing—Washing—Simonizing

WAVERLY PRATT

SAFEWAY STORES, INC., NO. 521
P. R. PENN, Mgr.

BRUCE MCGILL

NEALE and RUSSELL

HAPPY'S LIQUOR STORE

**TOM SCHWARTZ RADIO AND
PAINT STORE**

SIERRA NEWS STAND
Emile and Madeline Smith

TOM TYLER MEN'S SHOP

WISTARIA CLEANERS

DANE'S CANDY SHOP

LOS ANGELES TIMES AGENCY
Tom Miller

ROYAL CUT RATE DRUGS
Sam Perloff

SIERRA MADRE ICE COMPANY
Raymond Penn

NORMA M. MESECAR

DR. GEORGE W. GROTH

BYRON HOPPER—JEWELER
Watch and Gem Shop
Closed Friday, Dec. 31 and Saturday, Jan. 1

MARK DAILEY
Coso Hot Springs Resort

ROESS MARKET

SIERRA MADRE TAILORS

DUMAS FIX-IT SHOP

Best Wishes for the New Year
From the Employees of the
CROWN CITY DAIRY CO.
The Home of Fine Dairy Products

**CALIFORNIA WATER AND
TELEPHONE COMPANY**

26 MARKET STORES

STORE HOURS
MONDAY TO FRIDAY INCLUSIVE
8:30 A. M. to 6:30 P. M.

Oleomargarine 1 lb. ctn.
All Sweet 25c
(6 Brown Points)

Krafts Horseradish 8 oz. jar
Mustard 9c

Everoyal 10 oz. net bot.
Stuffed Olives 60c

Golden Age Macaroni & 7 oz. pkg.
Spaghetti 6c

Golden West 1 lb. jar
Peanut Butter 31c

Tropical Orange 2 lb. jar
Marmalade 37c

Cut Rite 125 ft. roll
Waxed Paper 16c
(P .156; T .004)
(Subject to stock on hand)

Masterpiece No. 2 can
Tomato Juice 9c
(3 Green Points)

Swifts 12 oz. glass
Prem 36c
(5 Brown Points)

Bordens Evaporated tall can
Milk 2 for 19c
(1 Brown Point)

Durkees pt. jar
Salad Aid 26c

Masterpiece No. 2 1/2 can
Spinach 15c
(12 Green Points)

Dole's Crushed No. 2 1/2 can
Pineapple 24c
(35 Green Points)

Old Dutch can
Cleanser 2 for 15c
(P 2/14625; T .00375)

FREE PARKING SPACE FOR CONVENIENCE OF OUR PATRONS

Market Basket

GROCERIES · MEATS · FRUITS · VEGETABLES

Specials for all Depts.

Thursday, 30th, and Friday, 31st

Wishing You A Happy and Victorious New Year

(Market Basket will be closed New Year's Day. Note our Store hours for December 31st . . . 8:30 A.M. to 6:30 P.M.)

Wesson Oil

pt. bot. qt. bot. 1/2 gal. bot.
27c 52c 93c

5 Brown Points 10 Brown Points 20 Brown Points

PALMOLIVE

Toilet Soap

reg. bar Luxury bar
3 for 20c 2 for 19c

Price 3 for .195; Price 2 for .18525;
Tax .005 Tax .00475

MARKET DAY

Raisins

2 lb. pkg. 4 lb. pkg.
21c 42c

8 Green Points 16 Green Points

Hearts Delight

No. 2 can No. 5 can

Tomato Juice 9c 19c

3 Green Points 6 Green Points

qt. bot. 1/2 gal. bot. gal. bot.

Purex 2 for 23c 21c 37c

Price 2 for .22425; Price .20475; Price .36075;
Tax .00575 Tax .00525 Tax .00925

M.J.B.

1 lb. pkg. 2 lb. pkg.

White Rice 13c 25c

Ben Hur

2 oz. bot. 4 oz. bot.

Vanilla 32c 60c

SPERRY'S DRIFTED SNOW

Flour

25 lb. bag

\$1.32

OHIO BLUE TIP

Matches

carton of 6

28c

Price .273; Tax .007

LIBBY'S

Spinach

No. 2 1/2 can

16c

12 Green Points

26 MARKET STORES

SATURDAY ONLY
8:30 A. M. to 8:00 P. M.
CLOSED SUNDAYS

Kitchen Klenser 13 oz. can
(P .0585; T .0015) 6c

Sea Lasse 7 1/2 oz. can
Pink Salmon 15c
(8 Brown Points)

Pillsbury's Shoshone 1g. pkg.
Cake Flour 26c

Dainty Mix 16 oz. can
Fruit Cocktail 15c
(20 Green Points)

Peets 1g. pkg.
Gran. Soap 26c
(P .2535; T .0065)
(Subject to stock on hand)

Frizz Ready Mixed pkg.
Ice Cream Mix 27c

Skinner's Breakfast Cereal 10 oz. pkg.
Raisin Bran 10c

Boraxo 1g. ctn.
..... 2 for 25c
(P 2/24375; T .00625)

Borax Powder 2 lb. pkg.
..... 23c
(P .22425; T .00575)

Wheaties 8 oz. pkg.
..... 11c

Barras 12 oz. bot.
French Dressing 26c

Durkees 10 oz. jar
Famous Dressing 27c

Concentrated 1g. pkg.
Super Suds 23c
(P .22425; T .00575)
(Subject to stock on hand)

M. B. Drug Co.

PASADENA CUT RATE DRUGS ALHAMBRA
1720 E. Colorado BALDWIN PARK 245 East Main
3675 E. Colorado 901 W. Valley Blvd.
845 E. California SAN MARINO
1325 N. Fair Oaks 900 Huntington Drive
EL SERENO 423 W. Valley Blvd. ARCADIA
4910 Huntington Dr. 1120 Pomona Blvd. 37 East Huntington Drive
SAN GABRIEL 515 W. Las Tunas TEMPLE CITY 2116 E. Las Tunas

HIND'S
BEAUTY
BARGAIN
Med. Size
Honey & Almond
Reg. Size Face Cream
64c Value *49c
Both for

Chevy Chase
Tom & Jerry
BATTER

1-Lb. 45c
Tub

FITCH
Dandruff
Remover
SHAMPOO

6-Oz. 59c
Bottle

Large Deodorant * 49c
M U M

Tooth Paste 2 for 29c
DR. WEST

Reg. Size Hair Tonic * 39c
VITALIS

Matched Make-Up Kit * 89c
WOODBURY'S

10 Oz. 98c
SERUTAN

Reg. Size Cold Tablets 27c
GROVES

Box of 24 Vitamins & Minerals 49c
VIMMS

Bottle of 100 59c
Bayer Asperin

LUNCH KITS
With Pint
THERMOS
BOTTLE
\$1.88

PEPSODENT
TOOTH
POWDER
Large Size 39c

SQUIBB
VITAMIN
B. COMPLEX
100 Tablets \$2.98

ITEMS MARKED (*) SUBJECT TO FEDERAL EXCISE TAX

STANDARD

Fly Spray

pt. bot. qt. bot.
20c 35c

Price .195; Price .34125;
Tax .005 Tax .00875

ALBERS

(WHITE OR YELLOW)

Corn Meal

sml. pkg. 1g. pkg.
10c 18c

Post

Toasties

11 oz. pkg.

8c

SALT

(Plain or Iodized)

2 lb. pkg.

7c

DEL MONTE

Tomato Sauce

buff. can

5c

5 Green Points

HEARTS DELIGHT
FREESTONE

Peaches

No. 2 1/2 can

22c

27 Green Points

M. B. Meat Co.

1720 EAST COLORADO PASADENA 2519 EAST COLORADO
1305 NORTH LAKE 3675 E. COLORADO 1415 NORTH LAKE
37 EAST HUNTINGTON DRIVE, ARCADIA

The recent reduction in the point values of Beef and what
will enable you to buy more meat. Come in and what
your selection from our fine stock. We have plenty day."

Brown Stamps L, M, N, P, Q from Ration Book No. 3
expire December 31, 1943. Brown Ration Stamp "R" is
good from December 26, 1943, to January 29, 1944, inc.

Spare Stamp No. 1 from Ration Book No. 4 is good for
5 points on the purchase of pork, bacon or hams before
January 1, 1944. Spare Stamp No. 1 must be used before
January 1, 1944.

Meat Departments close at 6 P M.

SAVE FATS FOR VICTORY

CALIFORNIA OR ARIZONA SEEDLESS

Grapefruit . lb. 6c

CRISP, SOLID HEADS

Lettuce . lb. 9c

M. B. Produce Co.

FULL PODS

Green Peas . . . lb. 20c

WHOLE OR HALF

Banana Squash . . lb. 3c

SWEET NAVEL

Oranges . . . lb. 7 1/2c

EXTRA FANCY WASHINGTON ROME,
BAKING SIZE

APPLES . . 2 lbs. 21c

MARKET BASKET URGES ITS CUSTOMERS TO TAKE PART OF THEIR CHANGE IN U. S. WAR STAMPS

We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities